

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Peter E. DAVIS et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2178  
Serial No.: 09/747,871 )  
Confirmation No.: 3705 ) Examiner: Thu V. Huynh  
Filed: December 22, 2000 )  
For: *METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR* )  
*END-TO-END CONTENT PUBLISHING* )  
*SYSTEM USING XML WITH AN OBJECT* )  
*DEPENDENCY GRAPH* )

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

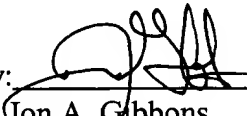
Sir:

In accordance with Rule 1.136, Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner for a two month extension of time extending to November 29, 2005, the period for response to the Final Office Action dated June 29, 2005. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$450.00 extension fee to Deposit Account No. 09-0463.

If it should be determined that a longer extension is required to prevent this application from becoming abandoned, or for any other reason an insufficient or incorrect fee has been paid, please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 09-0463.

Respectfully submitted,

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